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SUBJECT: ARIAS-SAMUDIO PRESS CONFERENCE

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1. EMBASSY HAS LEARNED FROM A REALIABLE PANAMENISTA PARTY SOURCE THAT PANAMENISTA PRESIDENT ARNULFO ARIAS AND LIBERAL PARTY PRESIDENT DAVID SAMUDIO WILL HOLD A JOINT PRESS CONFERENCE THIS AFTERNOON, PROBABLY MID-TO LATE AFTERNOON. THE TWO MET LAST NIGHT TO DISCUSS PANAMA'S POLITICAL SITUATION AND THE FUTURE ROLE OF THEIR PARTIES.

2. WE DO NOT KNOW PRECISELY WHAT WILL BE ANNOUNCED AT TODAY'S PRESS CONFERENCE. HOWEVER, A VERY SAFE GUESS IS THAT ARIAS AND SAMUDIO HAVE FOUND A FORMULA FOR COOPERATING IN A MOVEMENT TO PRESSURE THE TORRIJOS GOVERNMENT FOR THE DEMOCRATIZATION OF PANAMA'S POLITICAL SYSTEM. JORDEN

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